

**DISTRICT VI ADVISORY BOARD
MINUTES**

Wednesday
July 17, 2002
7:00 p.m.

Evergreen Neighborhood City Hall
2700 N. Woodland

The District VI Advisory Board meeting was held at 7:00 p.m. at Evergreen Recreation Center located at 2700 N. Woodland. In attendance were (8) District Advisory Board Members, (1) City staff members and (35) citizens.

Members Present

Linda Matney
Maurine Willis
Rosalie Bradley
K. Irvin
David Pendergraft
Bob Wine
Bob Schreck
Bickley Foster

Members Absent

John Cohoon

Guest(s)

listed at end

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Call to Order

Council Member Sharon Fearey called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and welcomed guests, as well as asking DAB members to introduce themselves and the area they represented. **Fearey** also introduced Richard Rumsey, replacement for John Van Walleghen from Benjamin Hills neighborhood association. Mr. Rumsey was appointed to DAB VI on 07-16-02 during the City Council meeting. **Member Foster** recognized that Mr. Rumsey was instrumental with the Day Reporting Center not being located at the Twin Lakes shopping center. Two new members for DAB VI will be Fbrena Scheneweis and Jaya Escobar. We will now have a full board and one youth member for DAB VI.

Approval of Minutes for June 3, 2002: Minutes were approved with the following amendments. **(Wine/ Schreck 7-0)**

- 1 Kyle Irvin was listed as present and was absent.
- 2 May 6th minutes as amendments to the Board Agenda Item 4-Re-intergration of Offenders- Action taken should read DAB VI expresses the importance of this agenda item when presented before the City Council and the "Grandfather Clause (Option 3)" should be accepted. **(Foster/Wine 8-0/Bradley abstained due to her serving on the Alternative Correctional Housing Board). This was recorded as 8-1.**

Approval of Minutes for June 19, 2002

Minutes were approved as submitted **(Schreck/Wine 7-0)**

Approval of Agenda

Addition of the following items:

- 1 Neighborhood Grant for Moorings
- 2 Discussion of Labor Day Holiday

Agenda was approved with additions. (**Schreck/Foster 7-0**)

PUBLIC AGENDA

The Public Agenda contains requests from members of the public who desire to present matters to the Board. All items will be allowed five (5) minutes of presentation time to clarify the issue, provide background information, and identify the requested action. Printed materials are encouraged.

No items were submitted

PLANNING

1. **CON2002-34: Planning Department staff will present a request for a Conditional Use to permit a car wash on property zoned "LC" Limited Commercial. On the southeast corner of 21st Street North and West Street**

The District VI Advisory Board (DAB) considered a request for **Conditional Use to permit a car wash on property zoned "LC" Limited Commercial. On the Southeast corner of 21st Street North and West Street.** The DAB Members were provided the public notice and MAPD staff comments for review.

The agent for the applicant was present and discussed:

- 1) The plans for the site and showed drawings
- 2) Described some of the 80 other uses for this site which may not be as desirable as a carwash
- 3) No second story homes would be bothered by looking out from their windows onto this site
- 4) Landscaping will be four times more than required
- 5) Infill to an area that has been vacant for many years

The applicant, R.D. Wood, included the carwash facilities will have

- 24 hour security monitoring
- Lighting that is designed to remain low and not be intrusive to the neighborhood
- the automatic bay has a dryer (this will assist during winter months to prevent water that drips from cars to freeze on the streets increasing hazardous conditions)

The DAB Members expressed the following:

- 1) Only one entrance and recirculation to the carwash
- 2) Visual concerns
- 3) Traffic thru the neighborhood
- 4) Noise from patrons
- 5) What are the peak days and hours for car washing
- 6) Water coming off of cars during winter weather increasing hazardous conditions
- 7) Traffic safety

DAB Members expressed their appreciation to the applicant on his efforts of landscaping to accommodate the neighbors.

Approximately 25 people were in attendance with nine people speaking in opposition of this case. The following are their concerns:

- a. You don't need a 2-story house to view this site; we can step out onto our yard and see.
- b. Too many trees are a nuisance
- c. De-valuation of my property
- d. Hazardous traffic increase to area
- e. Environmental concerns

*****Action taken: **DAB members voted 7-0 (Schreck/Matney) to recommend DENIAL of the *Conditional Use* request based on conditions per staff recommendations with emphasis on traffic and noise.**

BOARD AGENDA

2. Moorings Neighborhood Matching Grant check

Member Schreck returned the \$1000. Grant check awarded by the DAB to the *Moorings Homeowners association* for July 4th fireworks. **Schreck** stated that the *Moorings* has 300 homes and 2% of the residents called City hall and the Council member and complained that the money was used for fireworks. The *Moorings* will return the check but if possible could the money be used to allow neighborhood children living near Evergreen Park to swim free for several visits during the summer months. The *Moorings* would be willing to re-submit a grant application for that purpose. **Member Schreck** stated he had sent a letter to all the residents of the *Moorings* apologizing for the fireworks money coming from a City grant.

Member Wine made a motion to investigate this issue. **Member Foster** stated that he was not present the night DAB VI awarded the grants but had read through all the applications and his first impression was not to award for the fireworks. **Foster** reviewed the grant and then agreed that the *Moorings* event would bring neighbors out to get to know each other and together and the grant purpose would be met.

Council Member Fearey stated she would be visiting with the City Manager pertaining to the grants and explained the Neighborhood Matching Grant concept to the new DAB member and audience. **Fearey** stated that this was City money being used for these projects.

With no further business to discuss, meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Terri Dozal
6th District Neighborhood Assistant

Guests

Bill Longnecker
Betty & Carl Trebellhorn
Jerry Prichard
Stephanie Knebel
Walt Young
Joan & Brian Grnstmann
Twillia P. Rogers
Sherry Lou Ripsey
John L. Wilburn
Barbara Wilburn
Kim Edgington
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Dorothy E. Skladzren
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Frank & Florena Schenewis
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